



Docket No.: 43888-071

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re Application of

Kouichiro KITAGAWA, et al.

Serial No.: 09/583,748

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 25, 2003, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire July 25, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows: